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Application of: Kroczek, Richard

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For: METHODS FOR TREATMENT OF
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated October 11, 2005 be extended for a period of four (4) months from November 11, 2005 to and including March 11, 2006. Because March 11, 2006 fell on a Saturday, this response is being timely filed on Monday, March 13, 2006.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$1,590.00. Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: March 13, 2006

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